ABSTRACT

CLAMP FOR POSITIONING A SUPERELASTIC OSTEOSYNTHESIS CLIP

Abstract of the Disclosure

A clamp has Clamp (1) comprising two arms (3, 4) with gripping tips in the form of two-jaws (5, 6) for supporting and positioning a superelastic osteosynthesis clip (2), said. The osteosynthesis clip (2) comprising a web (23) from which two flanges (21, 22) intended to be inserted into two portions of bone emerge, said. The clamp (1) is distinctive in that it comprises: also has [[•]]a first means (11) component for preventing the jaws (5, 6) of each arm (3, 4) from being opened in order to prevent clip (2) from opening beyond a point at which the angle between the flanges (21, 22) and web (23) of a clamp supported clip is greater than 90°; and [[•]]a second means (9, 10) component for preventing the jaws (5, 6) from being closed in order to prevent clip (2) from closing beyond a point at which the angle between the flanges (21, 22) and the web is substantially 90°[[;]].

Figure 3